

**INCIDENT MANAGEMENT SITUATION REPORT  
 MONDAY MAY 3, 2004 – 0530 MDT  
 NATIONAL PREPAREDNESS LEVEL 1**

**CURRENT SITUATION:**

Initial attack activity was light nationally with 122 new fires reported. Three new large fires were reported, two in the Southern California Area and one in the Eastern Area. One large fire was contained in the Eastern Area. Very high to extreme fire indices were reported in Arizona, Kansas, Maine, Massachusetts and Minnesota.

**SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA AREA LARGE FIRES:**

INDIA, Camp Pendleton Marine Corps Base, Department of Defense. This fire is in brush, five miles west of Fallbrook, CA. Extreme wind driven fire behavior with spotting well in advance of the fire head was reported.

EAGLE, Riverside Unit, California Department of Forestry & Fire Protection (CDF). This fire is in brush, five miles southeast of Temecula, CA. No further information was received.

INCIDENT NAME	ST	UNIT	SIZE	% CTN	EST CTN	TOTL PERS	CRW	ENG	HELI	STRC LOST	\$\$\$ CTD
INDIA	CA	MCP	600	5	UNK	249	7	30	3	0	NR
EAGLE	CA	RRU	500	20	UNK	80	3	18	0	0	NR

**EASTERN AREA LARGE FIRES:**

KINSEY HUNT, Huron-Manistee National Forest. This fire is in grass and timber, 28 miles south of Luzerne, MI. No new information was reported. This will be the last report unless new information is received.

INCIDENT NAME	ST	UNIT	SIZE	% CTN	EST CTN	TOTL PERS	CRW	ENG	HELI	STRC LOST	\$\$\$ CTD
KINSEY HUNT	MI	HMF	440	95	UNK	11	0	3	0	0	45K
GULLY	MN	MNS	1,500	100	---	0	0	0	0	0	.3K

MNS = Minnesota Department of Natural Resources

**OUTLOOK:**

**Weather Discussion:** High pressure will continue over the western and central states, while a frontal system brings showers to the East Coast.



**[http://www.nifc.gov/sixminutes/dsp\\_sixminutes.php](http://www.nifc.gov/sixminutes/dsp_sixminutes.php)**

### **HAZARD MITIGATION THROUGH RISK MANAGEMENT (continued)**

“Risk management doesn’t get in the way of doing the mission – it is the way we do the mission.” The Risk Management Process assists in ensuring that critical factors and risks of the fireline work environment are considered during decision making. Good risk management utilizes a five-step process:

● Step 4—Decision Point (decision to accept or not accept the risk(s) associated with an action):

- Consider whether controls are in place for identified hazards, whether selected tactics are based on expected fire behavior and if instructions have been given and understood.
- Make certain the decision is made at the appropriate level; if not, then elevate to a higher level.
- Reject the action if the risk is unacceptable.

● Step 5—Evaluation:

- Ensure controls are implemented and accomplished to standards.
- Supervise/evaluate effectiveness of controls and decisions. Stay on top of the situation and adjust risk controls as necessary.
- Anticipate consequences of decisions; if controls do not work, determine problem and derive a better solution.
- Adjust actions as the situation changes; maintain situational awareness at all times.
- Maintain feedback line.

**FIRES AND ACRES YESTERDAY:**

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
Alaska	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Northwest	FIRES					1		1
	ACRES					1		1
Northern California	FIRES						1	1
	ACRES						0	0
Southern California	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Northern Rockies	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Eastern Great Basin	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Western Great Basin	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Southwest	FIRES		1			2	3	6
	ACRES		1			5	1	7
Rocky Mountain	FIRES						1	1
	ACRES						0	0
Eastern Area	FIRES					113		113
	ACRES					323		323
Southern Area	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
TOTAL	FIRES	0	1	0	0	116	5	122
	ACRES	0	1	0	0	329	1	331

**FIRES AND ACRES YEAR-TO-DATE:**

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
Alaska	FIRES					12		12
	ACRES					28		28
Northwest	FIRES	30	6	5	3	67	18	129
	ACRES	560	7	8	1	104	2,437	3,117
Northern California	FIRES					220	42	262
	ACRES					141	398	539
Southern California	FIRES	2	7	1	1	430	72	513
	ACRES	13	19	1	0	260	138	431
Northern Rockies	FIRES	344	9			43	44	440
	ACRES	2,232	138			2,481	137	4,988
Eastern Great Basin	FIRES	1	7		2	15	6	31
	ACRES	2	18		29	168	142	359
Western Great Basin	FIRES	1	3		2	2	3	11
	ACRES	0	45		0	1	65	111
Southwest	FIRES	44	18	1	6	155	93	317
	ACRES	164	2,709	0	5	8,914	4,632	16,424
Rocky Mountain	FIRES	138	12	17	2	91	28	288
	ACRES	3,288	36	792	0	18,341	2,772	25,229
Eastern Area	FIRES	307		26	9	3,384	326	4,052
	ACRES	1,493		1,940	89	41,765	5,165	50,452
Southern Area	FIRES	104		34	17	18,169	477	18,801
	ACRES	15,211		4,312	518	184,021	71,260	275,322
TOTAL	FIRES	971	62	84	42	22,588	1,109	24,856
	ACRES	22,963	2,972	7,053	642	256,224	87,146	377,000

<b>Eight Year Average Fires</b>	<b>27,127</b>
<b>Eight Year Average Acres</b>	<b>544,729</b>

\*\*\* Changes in some agency YTD acres reflect more accurate mapping or reporting adjustments. \*\*\*

**PRESCRIBED FIRES AND ACRES YESTERDAY:**

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
Alaska	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Northwest	FIRES	2	1				4	7
	ACRES	140	301				2,530	2,971
Northern California	FIRES						0	0
	ACRES						174	174
Southern California	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Northern Rockies	FIRES						3	3
	ACRES						75	75
Eastern Great Basin	FIRES						1	1
	ACRES						150	150
Western Great Basin	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Southwest	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Rocky Mountain	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Eastern Area	FIRES			8			2	10
	ACRES			1,164			163	1,327
Southern Area	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
TOTAL	FIRES	2	1	8	0	0	10	21
	ACRES	140	301	1,164	0	0	3,092	4,697

**PRESCRIBED FIRES AND ACRES YEAR-TO-DATE:**

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
Alaska	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Northwest	FIRES	26	68	32	0		142	268
	ACRES	4,153	6,566	3,593	30		38,718	53,060
Northern California	FIRES	14	37	8	14		156	229
	ACRES	251	712	13,575	624		18,855	34,017
Southern California	FIRES		10	3	1		67	81
	ACRES		498	332	19		5,606	6,455
Northern Rockies	FIRES	3	5	19	2	24	206	259
	ACRES	69	137	2,322	930	1,136	34,205	38,799
Eastern Great Basin	FIRES	1	11	3	4	12	41	72
	ACRES	149	1,762	547	62	1,289	9,134	12,943
Western Great Basin	FIRES		3		1		4	8
	ACRES		78		2		71	151
Southwest	FIRES	14	13	6	8		265	306
	ACRES	2,796	4,743	519	141		32,910	41,109
Rocky Mountain	FIRES	32	18	61	16	9	69	205
	ACRES	4,122	5,222	12,185	2,969	3,226	27,494	55,218
Eastern Area	FIRES	13		180	14	466	127	800
	ACRES	11,365		23,741	3,499	33,102	25,320	97,027
Southern Area	FIRES	51		122	61	190	975	1,399
	ACRES	8,503		54,762	55,341	113,687	896,227	1,128,520
TOTAL	FIRES	154	165	434	121	701	2,052	3,627
	ACRES	31,408	19,718	111,576	63,617	152,440	1,088,540	1,467,299

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**WFU FIRES AND ACRES YEAR-TO-DATE:**

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
Alaska	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Northwest	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Northern California	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Southern California	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Northern Rockies	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Eastern Great Basin	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Western Great Basin	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Southwest	FIRES				1			1
	ACRES				101			101
Rocky Mountain	FIRES		1					1
	ACRES		30					30
Eastern Area	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Southern Area	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
TOTAL	FIRES	0	1	0	1	0	0	2
	ACRES	0	30	0	101	0	0	131

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**CANADA FIRES AND HECTARES:**

PROVINCES	FIRES YESTERDAY	HECTARES YESTERDAY	FIRES YEAR-TO-DATE	HECTARES YEAR-TO-DATE
British Columbia	0	0	145	641
Yukon Territory	0	0	0	0
Alberta	0	0	160	894
Northwest Territory	0	0	0	0
Saskatchewan	0	0	19	322
Manitoba	0	0	0	0
Ontario	0	0	19	1,244
Quebec	0	0	20	6
Newfoundland	0	0	0	0
New Brunswick	0	0	31	53
Nova Scotia	0	0	9	10
Prince Edward Island	0	0	0	0
National Parks	0	0	2	0
<b>Total</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>405</b>	<b>3,170</b>

**\*\*The next CIFFC Report will be May 5, 2004. Daily reporting will begin on May 10, 2004. \*\*\***

**RESOURCES STATUS: COMMITTED RESOURCES**

AREA	CREWS FED	CREWS ST/OT	ENGS FED	ENGS ST/OT	HELI FED	HELI ST/OT	AIRT FED	AIRT ST/OT	OVRHD FED	OVRHD ST/OT
Alaska										
Northwest	12	2	28	1		2			47	5
Northern California			2							
Southern California		13	5	43	1	2			2	11
Northern Rockies										
Eastern Great Basin										
Western Great Basin										
Southwest										
Rocky Mountain										
Eastern Area			5						5	
Southern Area										
<b>Total</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>40</b>	<b>44</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>54</b>	<b>16</b>

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